IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application: Lih-Hsin CHOU et al.] GRP ART UNIT: 1756]

Serial No: 9/902,340] Ex.: Angebranndt, Martin J.]

For: OPTICAL DATA RECORDING MEDIUM

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REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

With reference to the Office Action dated January 5, 2004, Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of the term for response, which thereby extends the end date of the current term from April 5, 2004 to <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>July 6, 2004</u>.

Please charge \$475.00 (small entity) to Deposit Account No. 12-0400 to cover the cost of the three-month extension. No other fee is believed to be required. However, if this is not the case, please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to the same Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

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